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EXECUTIVE COMMITTEES SHOW INTEREST

Average Attendance 82% at Farm Bureau Committee Meetings

Farm Bureau Executive Committees in Maine have just completed their spring meetings with seven counties having better than a 90 per cent attendance and an average attendance for the state of 82 per cent. According to George E. Lord, County agent leader, this attendance has never been exceeded but one year, 1925, when the state average was 85 per cent.

To Aroostook County goes the honor of being the only county to have every member present. This county has the largest membership of any of the bureaus in the state. The committee is composed of leading potato growers of the county and recent figures show that the members of the committee grow over 1250 acres of potatoes.

Six counties, Twin, Cumberland, Penobscot, Piscataquis, Franklin, and Washington had only one member absent.

At this series of meetings, Miss Estelle Nason, state home demonstration agent leader discussed with the members some of the things they can do to strengthen the Extension Service Program for 1931. She urged particularly that leaders keep well informed on Project work and also of local problems with which Extension Service might assist.

Project reports given at these meetings show that considerable time has been spent during the winter by the Extension Service in giving farmers information on the Agricultural Outlook. This is a new service for Maine farmers but one that is very valuable in planning his operations for the coming year. Some of the matters of new business that the various Farm Bureaus have acted upon have been plans for field days, auto tours, and Club work. Practically all counties have voted to assist in bringing the American Institution of Cooperation to Durham, N. H. for the year 1931.

Gould Academy Notes

The Oxford County Singing Contest will be held in the William Bingham Gymnasium on Friday evening, May 8, at eight o'clock (daylight saving time). At least ten schools will be represented. Paul Chapman of the Junior Class will represent Gould. The public is cordially invited to attend these exercises. Musical numbers will be interspersed in the program.

The Girl Reserves have elected the following officers for next year: President—Katherine Carter. Vice-President—Rosalie Thurston. Secretary—Ethel Keen. Treasurer—Frances King. Committee Chairman: Program—Verna Berry. Service—Betty Holt. Music—Lucia Van. Social—June Brown. Membership—Elizabeth Hunt. Poster—Beatrice Brooks.

GOULD S SOUTH PARIS 7

With the score 3 to 2 in favor of Gould in the ninth inning South Paris staged a rally which netted five runs and clinched a hard fought pitchers' battle between Quimby and Pratt. Quimby allowed the hard hitting visitors eight scattered hits and but for errors on his own part as well as those of his team mates might have won his game.

On the other hand Pratt, experienced moundman, being a Pine Tree League pitcher, held the locals to three hits and but for is support would have held the Academy team scoreless.

Hinkley, Quimby and Stanley were the only ones able to connect with Pratt's deliveries for safe hits.

SOUTH PARIS		ab	r	h	p	a	e
Hemmond, cf		5	0	0	2	0	0
Stiles, 3b		4	1	0	1	1	1
Judd, 2b		4	1	0	4	0	0
A. Cummings, ss		5	1	2	3	1	0
E. Martin, p		4	1	1	5	0	1
Pratt, p		4	1	0	0	2	0
W. Martin, lb		4	1	1	3	0	2
C. Cummings, lf		4	0	3	0	0	0
Gibbs, rf		4	1	0	0	0	0
Totals		39	7	8	27	6	4

* Batted for Roberts in ninth. Two base hits—Hinkley, A. Cummings. Stolen bases—Roberts, Hinkley. Double plays—Roberts to White, White to Cummings to W. Martin. Left on bases—Gould 4, S. Paris 7. Bases on balls—off Quimby 1, off Pratt 3. Strikeouts—Quimby 7, Pratt 17. Hit by pitcher—by Quimby, Judd, by Pratt, N. Brown.

VARIETY SHOWER FOR MISS GLADYS GIBBS

Miss Gladys Gibbs was tendered a variety shower, Monday evening, at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. H. Gibbs, in honor of her approaching marriage to Evans Wilson. The affair was planned and carried out by the Epworth League of which Miss Gibbs is a member, and was a complete surprise as was very evident upon her arrival from the store where she is employed. As she entered the room, which had been darkened, the lights were turned on and she was greeted by friends and relatives to the number of forty-six.

An original poem, composed for the occasion, was read by Mrs. R. C. Dalzell. This was followed by the ringing of the doorbell and the announcement of a huge maybasket which was filled to overflowing with gifts, which were opened by Miss Gibbs, assisted by the Misses Adelaide Benn and Margaret Dalzell. The basket which was refilled several times, contained a great variety of beautiful gifts.

After the gifts had been opened, refreshments were served, the special feature of which was a cake decorated in red and white, with the Epworth League emblem.

ANNUAL W. C. T. U. MEETING TO BE HELD HERE TUESDAY

The forty-fourth annual convention of the Oxford County Woman's Christian Temperance Union will take place at the Bethel Methodist Church next Tuesday, May 12th. The following program has been arranged.

Morning
10:00 Devotional Service, Mrs. R. C. Dalzell, Bethel
Convention called to order
Roll call
Adoption of Program
Address of Welcome, Mrs. Maude Benn, Bethel
Response, Mrs. Lucy French, Rumford Ctr.
Report of Cor. Secretary
Report of Treasurer and Auditor
Appointment of Committees
Our Papers, Miss Elsie Hannaford, Portland
Miss Elsie Hannaford, Portland
Mrs. Gertrude Stevens Leavitt, Stroudwater

Reports of Superintendents
Noontide Prayer
Mrs. Ida M. Colby, So. Paris
Adjourns for Dinner

1:00 Executive meeting
1:30 Devotional, Mrs. Greenzinger, Norway
Convention called to order
County Song, led by Mrs. Agnes Morton, South Paris

County President's address
Song, Nation's Slogan
The What, Why, and How of Our T. & M. Department, Rev. Esther Hinchard, Rumford Ctr.

A Living Force, Mrs. Leavitt
Memorial Service, Mrs. Maude Braden, S. Paris
Duet, Mrs. Benn, Miss Hasehon

3:30 Children's Hour
Address, Miss Byrnes, Convention Speaker
Reports of Committees
Election of Officers
Unfinished Business
Reading and Adopting Minutes
Adjournment
Prayer
W. C. T. U. Benediction—Members Evening

7:30 Hymn
Scripture and Prayer, Mrs. Elizabeth Joslin, Norway
Solo, Rev. R. C. Dalzell, Bethel
Address, Miss Byrnes, California
Song, Nation's Slogan, words by the Speaker

Offertory, Hymn, Accompanist, Edna M. York, Andover
W. C. T. U. Benediction, led by Rev. R. C. Dalzell

The public is cordially invited to all meetings.

THE MEANING OF THE POPPY

The Ladies' Auxiliary of the George A. Munroe Post of the American Legion plan a poppy sale this month. Memorial Day is Poppy Day and wearing a poppy on this day is the accepted method of paying homage to the boys who sleep in Flanders' Field. Few of us are privileged to visit the shrine with floral offerings but we all can wear a poppy in respect for the dead.

These poppies are made by the disabled veterans and some of their families.

How much it must mean to these men to feel that they are not forgotten. But they are not forgotten. They are remembered and money is not the only consideration. They are kept busy and are happy in their work.

The local unit shares in the profits and solicits the support of every person.

Remember this in our way to show respect to the men who gave their lives for our country that we might continue to enjoy its freedom.

"Here and There in Maine" Page Five.

MEXICO HERE WEDNESDAY

On Wednesday the Mexico ball club will meet the local team on the Gold field at 3:30.

Mexico has a good hitting team and had not their pitcher issued eight walks the score of the first encounter might have been some different.

However both teams will be ready for a tough battle next Wednesday.

BETHEL TAX RATE TO BE \$49 A THOUSAND

The assessors have received the State tax, which was necessary in determining the local tax rate. The rate has been fixed at .049, an advance of seven mills over last year. We understand the work of the assessors on the tax book has been completed and it is now in the collector's hands.

GOULD TRIMS MEXICO 12-0

In a game featured by hard hitting and some fine pitching by Quimby in the pinches, Gould Academy turned back their ancient rivals 12-0. Jim Chesebro put the game on ice in the fourth inning when he hit a home run with the bases loaded. He saved the day again in the ninth when he hit a triple with two men on. Hinkley also contributed his share on the offense by connecting for three singles.

Box score:		ab	r	h	p	a	e
GOULD		5	2	12	1	1	1
Chesebro, c		5	1	0	0	2	2
Stanley, ss		5	1	1	2	1	0
Quimby, p		5	1	5	1	0	1
Hinkley, lf		3	2	1	2	0	0
Hamlin, rf		2	1	0	1	2	0
Vail, 2b		5	1	1	0	0	2
Brown, cf		5	1	1	2	1	0
Roberts, 3b		5	1	1	2	1	0
Whitman, lb		4	2	3	0	1	0

MEXICO

Box score:		ab	r	h	p	a	e
Chesebro, c		5	2	1	0	0	0
Chapman, 2b		5	2	3	0	0	0
Goldwin, lf		5	3	3	0	0	0
Bowers, p		5	0	0	1	0	1
Swett, p		5	0	1	0	1	1
Dawson, cf		5	0	0	2	1	0
Duchardine, 3b		4	0	0	3	1	0
Durrough, lb		5	0	0	0	0	0
Burns, rf		2	0	0	0	0	0
Weir, cf		1	0	1	0	0	0

Three base hits—Chesebro, Chapman, Hinkley. Two base hits—Stanley, Goldwin. One base hit—Whitman. Left on bases—Gould 9, Mexico 7. Bases on balls—off Quimby 11, off Swett 12. Wild pitch—Swett. Umpire Berry.

Local News

Mrs. Lee Vail is working for Mrs. Sadie Tuell.

Fred Hazelton of Waterville was a visitor in town Saturday.

Art Smith has gone to Mechanic Falls where he has employment.

Mr. Elias Robinson is in New York visiting her sister for a few days.

Mrs. Eva Ladd, who is teaching at Phillips, was at home over the week end.

Mr. and Mrs. T. F. Vail moved from Shelburne Saturday into Fred Wood's rent.

Miss Sara Chapman, R. N., is spending several weeks with her father, W. L. Chapman.

Mrs. Sadie Tuell returned from Massachusetts Saturday, where she has spent the winter.

Mr. and Mrs. Harold King and Mrs. Lucian Littlehale visited their mother, Mrs. Jennie King, at Buckfield Sunday.

A. Van, H. C. Rowe, Ernest Biscoe, and Earl Davis are attending the Grand Lodge of Masons in Portland this week.

Mrs. John Whitbrook has returned to her home after spending the winter in South Portland with Dr. and Mrs. F. I. Brown.

Mr. and Mrs. Leslie Lapham, who have been in Lewiston and Rumford for several weeks, have returned to their home in town.

Mrs. Leman Wheeler went to Fort Land Monday afternoon and on Tuesday morning left for Boston where she expects to enter the Dracozed hospital for surgery.

The Ladies' Aid meets with Mrs. Emma Robertson this Thursday afternoon for business and social work.

With the following program: Edna's Hints and Their Habits; business; talk; Gleanings from John Burroughs; Edward's Bird Sanctuary.

Benjamin Vail received a painful injury from a baseball at the stadium on Friday noon. As he was being led over to place something on the ground a ball thrown by another player rebounded, striking him just above the eye, breaking a blood vessel and causing intense suffering for some time. It is still swollen so badly that he cannot see out of the injured eye.

BOYS' 4-H GARDEN CLUB

The Boys' 4-H Garden Club held their first meeting of the season Monday, May 4, at the home of their leader, Dan Durrell. Miss Plummer, the County Agent, was present and discussed the Garden Project. The officers for the coming year were elected as follows:

President—Henry Hastings, Jr.
Vice-President—Kenneth Brooks.
Secretary—Stanley Wilson.
Treasurer—Clarence Poole.
Club Reporter—Philip Chapman, Jr.
Color Bearer—Morris Brooks.
The next meeting will be next Monday night at the home of the leader at seven o'clock. Any boy wishing to join, please come.

WHY NOT?

The paragraph below, which appeared in last week's issue of the Norway Advertiser, contains a suggestion of timeliness to Bethel people. It should be possible for a group of Bethel folks to stage a worthwhile celebration similar to that of 50 years ago.

"The coming August, Bethel will have a fine opportunity to celebrate its 150th anniversary of the Indian raid on the cabins of Lieut. Jonathan Clark and other settlers. This occurred on Aug. 3, 1781. One hundred years after in 1881 Bethel staged a blood curdling pageant on the common depicting the raid. Great liberty was taken with the story as handed down by historians, but it was a thriller for the times. The sports editor was a green country bumpkin nine years old and roared for two hours on the sharp edge of the common fence, with the hot sun pouring down full force. The kid was absorbed in the mock scalping and gun play unmindful of physical conditions. Why shouldn't Bethel react the story with wild Indians, torrid settings, a burning cabin, hardy woodsmen and other stage setting."

Bethel Grammar School, Grade V

The following received 100% in spelling for the week ending May 1: Floyd Bartlett, Irene Pike, Jane Chapman, Joseph Chapman, Alton Cross, Helen Cross, Margaret Fish, Phyllis Hunt, Edith Jodrey, Raydon Keddy, Frank Littlehale, Gertrude Stanley, Mary Wheeler.

LITERARY UNION MEETING AT NORWAY, MAY 19

The Annual Meeting of the Oxford County Literary Union will be held at the American Legion Home, Norway, Tuesday, May 19, 1931.

The morning session opens at 10 o'clock each Club president or her representative will give a concise of her Club activities during the past year.

We are pleased to announce that Florence Waugh Danforth, Past President of the Maine Federation of Women's Clubs, will be with us again and have charge of the Club Institute. Club members are urged to cooperate and take an active part in the open discussion.

Luncheon will be served at 12 o'clock in the dining room of the Congregational church at one dollar a plate.

Following the luncheon, the members of the visiting Clubs are invited for a ride around Norway's beautiful Lake Umbagog, and the Country Club. Weather permitting.

Afternoon session opens at 2 o'clock. We will be favored with an address of unusual interest. Club women by Mrs. John C. Schreiber of Portland, the Clubs arranging special music and readings.

Anyone interested, not a member of the Union may attend the meeting by paying the usual fee. Membership dues of the Union are payable at this time.

BETHEL SCHOOL BANC REPORT

Week of May 4		Grade	Savings Bank	Primary School	Total	Per Cent
		I	\$1.00	\$2.44	\$3.44	37
		II		.35	.35	18.5
		III		.25	.25	23
		IV		.40	.40	10.7
			\$1.00	\$4.18	\$5.18	
		V		.60	.60	15
		VI	\$1.00	1.70	2.70	3
		VII		.20	.20	2
		VIII	1.00	1.00	2.00	
			\$2.00	\$3.50		

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MAINE C. M. T. C. QUOTA BEING FILLED RAPIDLY

The Maine quota for the Citizens' Military Training Camps is rapidly being filled. That the popularity of these camps has increased year by year for the past ten years is shown by the fact that more applications have been received this year than ever before, and it looks as if every place in the 1931 camps would be taken. There is still room for more Maine boys, and applications are being received every day from every section of the State. Inquiries from fathers and mothers regarding the camps are very numerous, and to all who seek information the C. M. T. C. office at Waterville sends out immediate replies. It is the desire of the Maine enrollment officials to know by May 10th the names of all who desire to attend this year's camp, although applications may be submitted after that date.

"What does it cost for a boy to attend these camps?" is a very frequent question. In spite of much advertising about what the government offers to young men, many do not realize that all expenses are paid by the government. The Citizens' Military Training Camps offer to any young man of the age of seventeen to twenty-four much more in the way of training than does the usual summer camp, and there is not one penny of expense to the boy.

There is a C. M. T. C. representative in nearly every town in Maine, and information may be had from American Legion posts or from the principals of high schools. Full information may be obtained by addressing the C. M. T. C. office at Waterville.

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LOCAL BASEBALL PLANS DISCUSSED

Team Assured at B. A. A. Meeting Monday Evening

That Bethel is to have a baseball team seems assured after the meeting of the Bethel Athletic Association held at the rooms of the American Legion on Monday evening. The election of officers for the coming year was first taken up with the following results:

President—Fred Hamlin
Secretary—Carl Brown
Treasurer—Lucian Littlehale
Manager—Tom Brown

Following the election a general discussion took place, several of last year's players and local fans offering valuable suggestions and criticisms. Herbert R. Benn, as manager of last year's team, told of his experiences and his remarks on questions brought before the meeting were of especial help.

While the personnel of this year's team is not yet decided, as there will be four or five of last year's players absent, there seems to be quite a lot of home talent available, so the prospects of a team capable of playing a good interesting game and winning a good part of the time, are decidedly favorable.

Although last year's activities left a good balance in the treasury, assistance from local people will be very acceptable as there will be some outlay necessary for equipment before the season opens. Those interested should make their contribution to any of the above officers.

Meetings of the association will be held the first Monday evening of each month through the season. It was decided to leave the technical and financial matters in the hands of the executive committee consisting of the elected officers. At the end of the season a report of finances will be presented and the amount on hand over and above the present balance is to be divided among the players, according to the number of games played.

BOOKS ADDED TO BETHEL LIBRARY IN APRIL

Mirthful Haven, (duplicate)
The Book of Markings
The Masque of the Red Death
R. C. Thurston
Blair's Art (duplicate)
and Freeman Lincoln
Old Rose and Silver, (duplicate)
Myrtle Reed
Given by Mrs. Cordelia Chapman
The Strangers Menagerie, Don Byrne
Mrs. Ralph Burris
Sam, Freeman Lincoln
Capt. Bond's Tarn, Ralph S. Brown
Silvery Wings, Grace Livingston Lathrop
On French Canals, John H. Brown
The Storm Drift, John H. Brown
Drifting Sands of Poetry, G. S. Oser
W. W. Woodward
Given by Mrs. J. H. Woodward

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6 blasts, repeated at two minute intervals, Mills, Mill Yards and Railroad Street.

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CAN I Learn to Fly?
—By—
WILLIAM R. NELSON

The Tailspin

TAILSPIN, one of the novice flyer's greatest fears, are taught in practically all flying courses, not as a stunt but as necessary experience. Most airplanes will tailspin under certain conditions. And all planes will come out of them if properly handled, except, possibly, in those infrequent instances where something about the control surfaces becomes broken in flight.

In a tailspin the nose of the plane is headed down and the plane rotates the fuselage (body), in a nearly perpendicular position, serving as the axis. Spins generally follow a stall in which the ship is allowed to "fall off on a wing" in a sidewise slip.

"To make this plane tailspin, we cut the motor to idling, pull up into a stall, and as we stop going up, push one of the rudder pedals forward as far as it will go and hold it there until we look into the spin," my instructor explained as he cut the motor at about 3000 feet up.

"Just ride through this first one. Don't touch the controls. Ready?" We shot skyward for a short distance, then I felt the plane stop, then fall to the right. As the bottom of the arc, followed by the nose, was reached I felt a peculiar, gripping sensation take hold of the plane and we began to spin around, diving straight or nearly straight, toward the earth.

A sudden lifting sensation told me we were coming out of the dive; we had stopped spinning.

I followed through lightly as the controls in the next spin, after we had climbed back to 3000 feet, and then cut the motor to idling. When the ship stalled toward me as far as it would go, I moved the right rudder pedal forward at the top of the stall and held from controls tightly.

"After one spin, neutralize the rudder and stick," my instructor had said. "When we stop spinning, pull back on the stick to come out of the dive. Do not dive too fast."

The crash below whistled about us at terrific speed. "We seemed to spin like a top. But we made only two complete rotations. It took a half turn to look in. They were spun around once before I neutralized the controls and it took another half turn to come out, diving all the while. We lost about 1,000 feet in the maneuver."

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FUNDS FOR HOMES SUPPLIED BY BANKS

By ROME C. STEPHENSON

President American Bankers Association

A LARGE portion of the funds required in home building always has been furnished by banks. They have shown constantly a deep interest in the performance of this feature of national development. Upon it rests much of our country's future stability, and any contribution to its advancement is a common redoubt to the advantage of all. So banking has never permitted its co-operative attitude toward home building to lessen.

Practically all banks now accept savings deposits which can well be turned to the advantage of the home builder. The construction of individual dwellings requires a large amount of financing and is a thoroughly commendable enterprise. Necessarily, the aid given to home builders is governed by the sound banking rules which have grown out of the years of experience and the constant studies of bank practices. All of the efforts made to secure broader real estate loan privileges, to adjust resources to make it possible to lend larger sums for long terms, the standardization of mortgage loan formulas, and the actual lending of vast sums on mortgage notes evidence the desire of banks to contribute a full measure of support to the home-building movement. This is true of all classes of banks, but even in a more marked degree of those whose deposits are largely in the form of savings and whose loans are primarily for building or home purchasing purposes.

Both Sides Protected
The process through which bank loans are made on real estate is as simple as the nature of such an important transaction will permit. When money is advanced the lender must know that repayment will be made the specified time. Likewise the borrower wants to be assured that, after he has figured the loan on the basis of his conservatively anticipated ability to pay, he will not be required to do more, that he will not be disturbed in his efforts to work out of his obligations under those terms. Whether his agreement is to repay the entire loan in three or five years, or on a monthly or yearly basis, he wants the assurance that no additional burdens will be imposed upon him. All of this is settled definitely in advance.

There is no mystery about any of the details, and when the negotiations are complete the borrower knows just what he may expect and what he will be required to do to meet his obligations. Loans made to persons who wish to acquire homes are not necessarily building loans. One may wish to purchase a home already constructed. In this form of transaction bank loans are used very freely because it is the only kind of a real estate loan some classes of banks may make. Others, of course, may lend upon real estate with improvements uncompleted and advance funds as the construction progresses. Different styles in home financing have developed in the various states, and banks have tried to adapt their facilities to the needs. Whatever character of assistance is required in any particular instance usually can be found in some bank in the local community.

Among banks and borrowers for home acquisition purposes a long established and thoroughly tested relationship exists. Banks are not the only agencies through which such funds are available; they do not embody all the spirit of helpfulness which abounds. However, through the years of their cooperation their aid has been of unquestionable value to the home builders whose efforts to establish a permanent for themselves have received constant encouragement. Bankers everywhere are ready to counsel with their customers about their home-building plans and to assist to the extent of their ability. This is being done constantly and the many advantages of it are not without recognition.

Farm Service by a Bank

A farm service department was inaugurated a year ago by a bank in Norway, Me., and a farm adviser appointed. This department is maintained with the state co-operative extension service. With its days in carrying on its work with the Farm Head Improvement Association. After a previous contract was held in cooperation with the four banks in the county which offered prices amounting to \$100. While poultry was raised in co-operation with the Co-operative Poultry Association and assistance was given in organizing an economic conference for the benefit of berry growers. The farm adviser of the bank is active in the Agricultural Council of the county composed of farm and other organizations interested in agricultural development, and also in the Farmers' Market. His hundred farm business analysis books were distributed while farm account books and poultry record books were also provided to farmers and have been helpful in starting many farmers in keeping business records.

County News

BRYANT POND

Franklin Grange held its regular meeting last Saturday evening with all officers present but two. There was a large attendance with visitors from Paris Grange. After the business meeting George Babb from the State Department of Agriculture, Augusta, gave an illustrated lecture on Hawaii which was very interesting and instructive. The pictures were fine. There will be degree work at the next meeting. Jefferson Chapter, O. E. S., held its regular meeting Friday evening, May 1st, with a good attendance. There were visitors from Oxford Chapter, Norway, also visitors from other chapters. After the meeting there was a fine program. Refreshments were served, consisting of fancy pie, doughnuts, and coffee. It being Sister Jackson's birthday, a lovely birthday cake was presented to her. The cake was made and decorated by Mrs. Abner Mann.

Oscar T. Bowker, who has been spending the winter in Florida, has returned and is staying with his sister, Mrs. H. A. Bacon. Miss Lena M. Felt of Auburn was at her home here over Sunday. Miss Florence Emery, who has been to the Eye and Ear Infirmary, Portland, and had her tonsils removed, has returned home. Her sister Adelaide, who is training for a nurse there, came home with her and will spend her vacation with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Howard Emery.

Mrs. Florence Benson of South Woodstock and Miss Helen Farrar of Bethel are here with their father, Jerry Farrar.

Mrs. Myra Cole of Grafton, Mass., came Saturday night, and will spend the summer here. She has rooms at Mrs. Annie Day's.

Mrs. Villa West of South Paris has been the guest for a few days of her cousin, Mrs. Florence Cushman. Quite a delegation from Franklin Grange attended Pomona at Newry Corner last Tuesday. Everett Davis of Bates College spent the week end with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. C. Davis.

Albany—Waterford

Will McAllister has been hauling hay to his place in Albany which he bought of Elmer Henley. Albert Cox is working in the mill at South Waterford for W. K. Hamlin. Mrs. Cox is stopping with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Canwell, at South Albany.

Selden Grover of Bethel bought a horse of W. A. Lord Saturday. Mr. and Mrs. Percy Clifford and baby of Newry were visitors at David L. McAllister's Saturday.

D. L. McAllister and Louise McAllister recently visited relatives at East Stoneham.

Herman Bryant is working for I. T. Green cutting pine which is hauled to W. H. Brown's mill.

Mrs. and Mrs. Ernest Grover carried. Mr. Kittredge and family to Berlin, N. H., Sunday.

Edith Littlefield has been home from Gould Academy several days recently owing to illness.

NORTH BETHEL

L. A. Williamson of Upton was in town on business Wednesday. Joe Baker, Jr., of Northwest Bethel is working for R. L. Foster.

Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Reynolds and son Ramsey were in Norway one day last week.

Ivan Stowe of Rumford Point was in town recently.

R. M. Bean has a crew working on the road between his place and Joe Spenny's house.

Richard Douglass of Bridgton has a crew helping to put up his mill at the Lewis James place.

Mr. and Mrs. D. S. Curtis of Bridgton were in town Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Harold Bennett, Mr. and Mrs. C. O. Demeritt and daughter Louise were in Ketchum Sunday.

J. W. Reynolds and son Ramsey were in Rumford Point Thursday.

Harold Emman, Miss Evelyn Durand and mother of Rumford were in this vicinity Sunday.

Mrs. Charles Heino and sons, Will, Victor and Carl, were in Harrison Sunday.

Clarence Enman attended the May dance at Lake Mills Saturday night.

A few from this vicinity attended the dance and supper at Newry Corner Friday night.

Everett Lane of Upton was in town Saturday.

Glenn Swan was home over the week end from Fryburg.

Mr. Nettie Fleet and family and Miss Brooks were at Aziscoos Dam recently.

Mrs. W. H. Powers spent the day with her mother and family in Upton Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Enoch Foster and baby were in town Sunday.

Magalloway and Vicinity

Mrs. Beatrice Littlehale and two daughters, Eileen and Elsie, spent Monday with her mother, Mrs. Lewis Olson.

Elizabeth Haldane went to Portland Friday morning in business.

Mrs. Leon Bennett taught school in the primary room Friday for Elizabeth Haldane.

A dance was enjoyed by many Tuesday night, April 28, in the Magalloway Town Hall. The music was furnished by the "Columbia Four."

Katherine Cameron is working in Jordan's Restaurant at Errol, N. H. Addie Lancaster was in Berlin two or three days last week.

Lauren Bennett, Carl Littlehale, Elsie and Clifford Olson were in Errol Sunday.

NORTHWEST BETHEL

School kept last Saturday instead of this week Monday, and Miss Skillings went visiting schools.

Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Coullage and Miss Elton visited Sunday with his parents at East Bethel.

Miss Hilda Reed is helping Mrs. H. A. Skillings.

D. R. Smith is working on the telephone line this week.

The school is giving an entertainment Friday evening. All are invited to come.

TWO-MINUTE SERMON

by REV. GEORGE HENRY

CRITICISM

Criticism may help or hinder us, cheer us or discourage us, inspire us to renewed and greater effort or cause us to give up the light and sink into deep despair. The fact that your best friend has begun to find fault with you is no evidence that he has ceased to be your friend. It may be that he is just beginning to be the friend you most need. To see ourselves as we appear in the eyes of the critic may be good for us. We are apt to damn in others that of which we are unconscious in our lives, and that man is a friend, no matter what his motive, who enables us to "see ourselves as others see us." So much for the man who is under the critic's microscope. But oh you critic, look for the beam in your own eye first, then remember this: criticism is not necessarily adverse and a word of commendation is a great incentive to righteous endeavor.

UPTON

Mrs. Corn Abbott is on the sick list. H. W. Whitney, who is in the Rumford Community Hospital in quite a serious condition, is reported improving.

S. F. Penslee is shingling his barn. W. D. Penslee has hired Henry Enman's farm for the summer.

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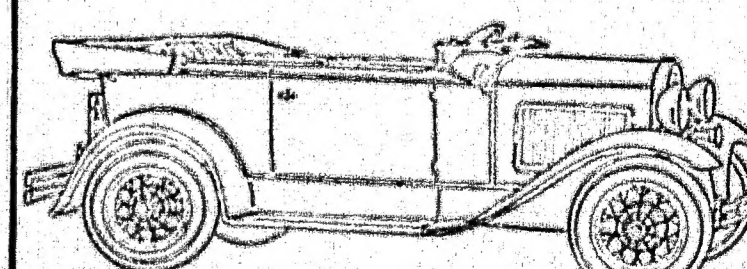
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Maria's Sacrifice Saved To

By LEETE ST

(By 1931. McClure Newspaper (WNU Service))

MARIA SOFA ABRUZZI, chanting olive-branches under the sunny sky in Italy, was not the first there were too many folk songs entwined about enduring ancestry—yet on that recent day in court, New York City, where Tony, born near the waters of the Rhine, had sung together the old songs of Neapolitan love and moments on the Capri waiting for the fishing boat. Yes, Maria, faintly that Magistrate's court in New the great lawyer said her savings, the savings visioned to help with when she and Tony came to her arms over Tony's shoulder him to her side at the eastern, gray-haired Judge's case. She faintly the just shipping to the hard little heap of home-made.

This true story commenced should end; but its interest, quiet, sacrificial fervor of Abruzzi, in working to save from a cell in Sing Sing, toward. She had only his that he was innocent. A levered.

They had come to New years ago, Maria with her and Tony with his treasure on. The first year had gone with Tony singing and playing sunny streets. His voice with the accordion were a usual order that he reap harvest of pennies, nickels every day. Maria secured a in a factory doing piece Maria had saved money.

to have been married a month when the blow fell was put in jail.

He had been imposed upon as a sequestrer by the mob smooth-tongued and up-hold-up gang in the neighborhood pandling with joy at the gift dollar bill for merely en proprietor of a big chain in conversation for five n had been, when the masked unmasked guns confronted much surprised as the Then the bandits were off and Tony, in amusements, hands pointed at the ceiling at the insistence of the in the store who had found late, but who asserted over- phone to the police that neing "hope of the gang that up."

Thus it had all gone again from the start. A plain cective was found to testify had seen Tony in convers members of the gang were a court of law and a p eage to make a showing in of many failures can make of Justice in several differ As these matters go, "ony fairly easy—five years for fence.

But that five years might have been five centuries to a ruzel, sitting there listening first sentence a year ago. view it, when Tony got out would look to another girl. And then, a sudden, that in court a handsome stran- tweed suit who had deposed courtroom door in time to sentence and see it stab Ma- with agony had come over to gently said:

"I can appeal that and out for you for \$1,000." Maria understood only fo of that "get him out" and But she had sense enough to the stranger's name. Then busy. It seemed an enorm but each week as she Sen hours a day over her machi up the friends she had made movies and little festivities the required sum grew less.

So then, as was first state Sofia Abruzzi, who had all herself in getting the great faint on this morning ten- later when the great man- tier Tony back to her in the over-heated courtroom.

Consciousness returned in room in the courthouse. She a couch, and Tony, a water his hand, was bending over h- rering: "My little one! My lit- Then the big lawyer in a tiful suit was saying something what was it . . . it could- trael

"Tony used to sing your Ne- comes under my window. I and found him in court I Tony could not sing that way had I saved him for you say- sing to the same man. Pure- mean, you say? And here's a little girl!" He held out a cr- slab of paper. "I just want- Low much you loved him. I some kind; both of you Answer!"

Nearest Duty Calls

The only way to regenerate is to do the duty which lies and not hoot after grand, far ones for ourselves. Charles L.

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THURSDAY, MAY 7, 1931

THE FIRST AMERICAN WAR MOTHER

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COMMUNITY SCENTERS

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Potatoes
Stock yards
Fish market
Glass factory
Partners factory—Pathfind
or Magazine.

PEN POINTS

People of wealth who don't know what to do with their money, take notice.

There's nothing a man who knows it all doesn't know, and that's how unequal he is.

Some people attempt to fight their way through life by burning the candle at both ends.

You are more likely to be arrested for shooting a man without a license than for shooting a gun.

The "Red" American is holding too close for his life the hole in the fence that he made in the world.

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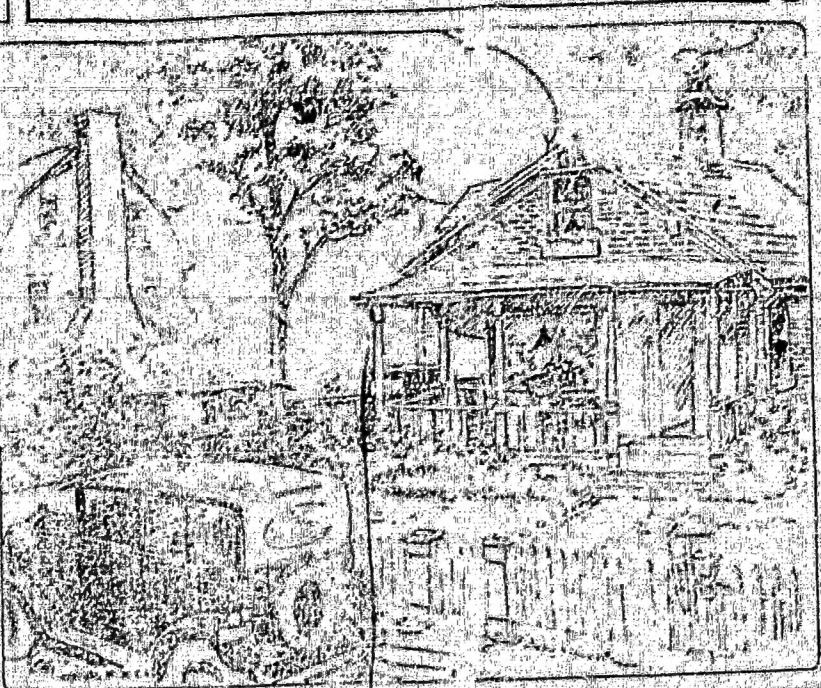
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Mother's Day



Local News

Mr. and Mrs. Norman Sanborn were at Bethel Sunday.

Miss Elizabeth Morse was last week's guest of Miss M. Packard.

Miss E. H. Smith was the guest of her sister, Mrs. Zenas Miller, Sunday.

Miss Emma Chapman is visiting Mrs. Fannie Carter at Middlebury.

The Sunday School workers met at Mrs. Florence Hamlin Wednesday evening.

Miss Martha Brown is in town for a short time before going to Bangley for the summer.

Mr. W. H. Chapman and Miss K. Lyons went to New York Friday to attend a few days.

Mr. and Mrs. E. C. Kilburn have returned to Bethel after spending the winter in Portland.

Miss Ruth Back of Boston is spending the week with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. O. A. Back.

Mrs. D. H. Sparrow returned Saturday from a two days visit with relatives at Lynn, Mass., and Portland.

Don't forget the Pool Ball on Saturday of this week at the Ladies' Auxiliary of the American Legion. See you there.

The annual county convention of the W. A. U. will be held here Tuesday, May 12th, at the Methodist church. The day's program is of unusual interest.

Robert Chase, young son of Shirley Chase of South Bethel, who has been in the hospital at Bangley for several weeks following injuries received while riding, has so far recovered as to return to his home. He will be obliged to wear braces some time yet and is still confined to the bed.

LADIES' CLUB OUTING

On Thursday, April 30, the 35 members and friends of the Ladies' Club arrayed in the country place of Mr. and Mrs. Laurence Lord in Gilead for the weekly meeting.

So, again, crowded over the nearby mountains for a month and good cheer prevailed in the charming home. An exchange of favorite recipes was a feature of the program. Mrs. Harry Lyon played a piano solo and the hostess gave out some numbers. A collection of money was taken up.

Mrs. Lord, assisted by her friends, served a luncheon of sandwiches and a variety of other delicacies.

After a pleasant afternoon, the ladies returned to their homes.

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NEWRY

Mr. and Mrs. G. A. Orent of Conway, N. H., came Saturday night to W. N. Powers', returning to their home Sunday afternoon by the way of Newry, Bridgton and Fryeburg.

Mr. and Mrs. F. L. French were in Bethel Saturday.

Carl Hakala and family were in Bridgton one day last week.

L. E. Wight and Ernest Holt are at work on the Androscoggin Lakes line putting in new poles where needed and changing the position of some to accommodate the new State road.

Fred Davis of Rumford has a man cutting wood on his farm here.

A family has moved into the cottage owned by Jesse Chapman of Bethel.

EAST BETHEL

Mrs. Florence Hastings substituted in the primary room last week owing to the illness of Miss Leona Brown.

Mrs. James Swan is sick with a bad cold.

Miss Esther Holt, who is attending business college at Boston, spent the week end at her home here.

Georgian Olson has moved his family to the Mayfield farm.

Many from here attended Pomona Grange at Newry Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Bernard Hartington are receiving congratulations on the birth of a son Friday. Mrs. Tyler is caring for them.

Mr. and Mrs. C. M. Kimball are preparing over the arrival of a daughter May 2. Mrs. Littlehale is caring for Mrs. Kimball and baby.

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Americans are saving money as never before and prohibitionists will find comfort and satisfaction in that. Savings bank deposits increased last year \$1,140,000,000—a good deal of money, and that is only a small part of it. Other hundreds of millions were invested in real estate, stocks, bonds, etc. In the world's history there is nothing like the way in which the American people both spend money and save money. Savings average \$30,000,000 a day about 30 cents a day for every man, woman and child—not bad.

—Arthur Brisbane

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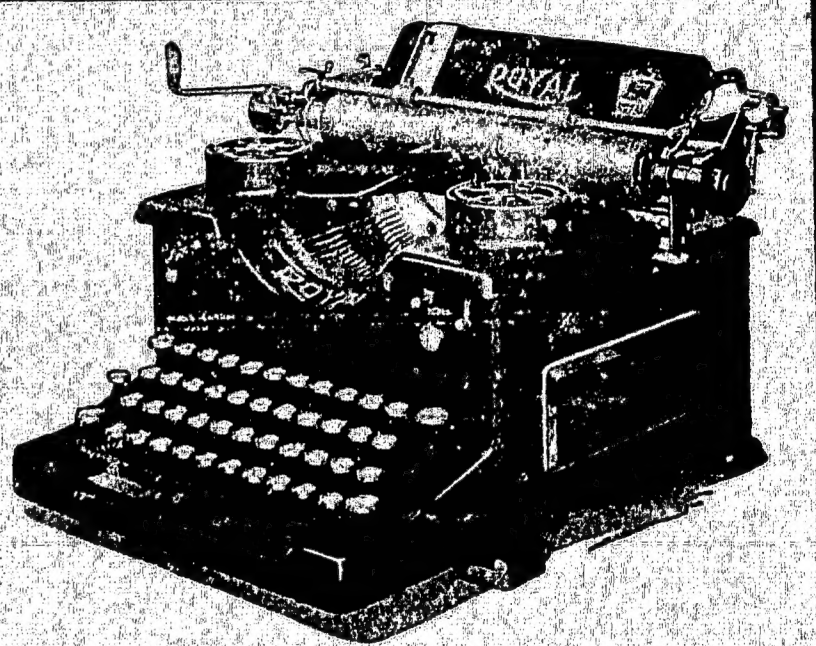
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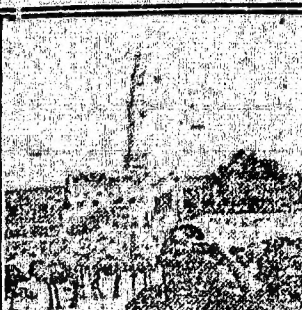
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A black and white photograph showing a group of people, including women and children, standing in a line in front of a large, multi-story building, likely a school or institutional structure. The people are dressed in traditional or simple clothing. The building has multiple windows and a flat roof. The scene is outdoors on a dirt or gravel area.

(Prepared by the National Geographic Society)

The length of the peninsula from head of the Gulf of Akabah to Straits of Bab Mandeb, near Aden is about 1,300 miles; its greatest breadth, in latitude 23 degrees north from the Red sea coast on the west (Bab el Mandeb) on the east, is about 15 miles.

An one calls along the Red sea coast of Arabia, with the low 2 feet high dry and barren mountains lying just back of sandy, empty state of country, he is reminded of the

snakes they apply on the sand and sprang up to bite, their eyes bling with the sand so perfectly as render them unnoticeable to a standing a few yards away.

Scorpions, vultures, hawks, and vipers, to say nothing of several old scorpions, are common.

Except for the lizard family, reptiles are rare and no poisonous snakes, the "vipers" and the "rattlesnakes" both of the viper family are found in Arabia. There are no scorpions, however, nor centipedes, and in

Why Face Is Called "This"
 "This" as applied to the face is
 a contraction of the word
 "thisness".

The farm buildings of Carl Gorsch at East Nelson were burned Sunday afternoon. He thought the fire started in the barn. Mr. Gorsch suffered severe lacerations removing a car heater from the barn. The loss estimated to be \$20,000 with some

Whenever we see a people trying to put into operation the brotherhood of man, there we also see a fight going on. Nothing so fosters strife as the brotherhood of man, apparently.

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Labor's Liberty Legion Out for Modification of Dry Law—Governor Roosevelt Dismisses Charges Against Mayor Walker.

By EDWARD W. PICKARD



Matthew Wolf

LABOR'S LIBERTY Legion, as it is termed by Matthew Wolf, vice president of the American Federation of Labor, is in action for the purpose of bringing about modification of the Volstead act and eventually the repeal of the Eighteenth amendment. It consists of a national committee of the organized trades, and it held a two day convention in Philadelphia that was attended by about 200 delegates from all parts of the country. Mr. Wolf was in the chair, and he did not mince words in stating the aims of these workers who are opposed to prohibition, and at times his language was almost inflammatory. He declared the groups which "forced" prohibition on the country were the industrialists "who were prompted by the desire to increase their profits through higher production by making machines of human labor," and the church groups who have admitted their failure to rule man by moral suasion, but seek to force their rule by the use of the big stick of the law.

Asserting that he did not believe in "milk and water methods," Mr. Wolf continued: "There is too much law and order today. I want to see the shackles of injunction broken, if not by lawful methods, then through physical resistance. It is only by aggressiveness that states and communities will regain their privileges. 'Our nation came into being through violent disregard of law and order. The negro was freed by bloody strife, a complete disregard of law and order. Labor unions came into being and won for American labor its high standards of living, through strikes, lockouts and other violent methods.' A report to the committee, written by Wolf and I. M. Osborn, president of the cigar makers' international union, held out the hope that the legalization of light wines and beer might be enacted by the next congress. It stated that only 17 members of the senate and 45 representatives are prohibition 'die hards' and that none of them were 'listed among the most valued customers of Washington's well known bootleggers.'

NOT worth further consideration, is a nutshell the verdict of Governor Roosevelt of New York state in dismissing the charges against Mayor Jimmy Walker of New York. And thus Tammany Hall wins a point in its struggle with the citizens of the metropolis who are warring on what they believe to be graft and corruption.

The charges, it will be remembered, were filed by Dr. John Haynes Holmes and Rabbi Stephen S. Wise on behalf of the city affairs committee, and alleged malfeasance and misfeasance on the part of the mayor, whose removal was asked. Walker's reply was hot and vituperative, branding his accusers as "Socialists," though in later public statements he asserted the Communists were to blame for the fight on him. The governor in dismissing the charges said he did not find in the documents submitted sufficient justification to remove the mayor or to proceed further in the matter. There was no evidence, he added, that showed Walker had failed to act on information given to him or that he had failed to keep himself advised as to the activities of the subordinates beneath him.

CHAIRMAN ARTHUR WOODS of the President's commission for employment announced his retirement from active work with the organization because he is going to Europe to study employment conditions there. He also said that a perceptible improvement in general economic conditions has been registered in recent weeks.

PRESIDENT HOOVER wants to be re-nominated—and it is generally supposed he does—he will win by a landslide on the first ballot in the 32 Republican convention, granting at the test of party sentiment made by the Washington Post is accurate, the same token, Vice President Curtis will be re-nominated if he so desires.

The Post polled the approximately 20 delegates to the Republican national convention of 1928. About one of them answered. They were asked to state who, in their opinion, should be the party nominee next year.

the responses were distributed as follows: President Hoover—437. Senator Dwight Morrow of New Jersey—13. Calvin Coolidge—12. Lowden, Davies, Borah, and Senator Watson of Indiana received one vote each. Theodore Roosevelt was second in the list of probabilities for second place on the ticket.

IN THIS connection it is interesting and perhaps surprising to read the statement made by former Gov. W. L. Harding of Iowa to the Republican national committee, to the effect that the farmers of the Midwest are solidly in support of the federal farm board and of President Hoover's farm relief policies. This, Mr. Harding says, he learned in conversation with "thousands of farmers in my own and neighboring states." He declared the Democratic seed of discontent has fallen on barren soil, and continued, "The American farmer today is selling his wheat at 20 to 30 per cent more than the farmer across the border in Canada. His corn is bringing 30 cents per bushel more than in the Argentine. The Republican tariff and the farm board—both of which the Democrats would destroy—are responsible for this advantageous condition."



King of Siam

KING PRAJADHIPOK of Siam, accompanied by Queen Rambai Barni and her parents, made his official visit to Washington during the week. They arrived in the capital city from New York on Tuesday, being met at the station by Vice President Curtis and other high officials, were duly photographed, and escorted in state to the Larz Anderson mansion on Massachusetts avenue. Next day the royal couple made their formal call at the White House. Just within the front door President and Mrs. Hoover met them and led them to the Blue Room where, after brief conversation, the king requested the honor of presenting his suite. Mr. Hoover giving consent, the royal retinue entered and was introduced by the Siamese minister.

The king and queen soon after hustled back to their temporary home and the return call by Mr. and Mrs. Hoover quickly followed. Queen Rambai Barni has been having a great time shopping in New York, purchasing quantities of feminine gear, especially hosiery and footwear. She has the reputation of being the prettiest woman of all the Far East's royalty.

OFFICIAL groups within the Protestant Episcopal church and the Presbyterian church in the United States have recommended vital alterations in the church codes that will surely cause long and loud discussion. After six years of study, an Episcopal commission advocates a revised canon creating ecclesiastical courts to pass on problems of marriage. It would permit ministers to remarry communicants and divorced persons whose fitness had been approved, eliminate all mention of ground for divorce and remarriage, and defining nine causes for annulment. A commission of the Presbyterian church, deploring the increasing divorce rate, given its approval to birth control practiced only "in fidelity to the highest spiritual ideals of the Christian home," and suggests the establishment of courses of instruction in marriage.

The Presbyterian report will be submitted to the general assembly of the church in Pittsburgh May 23. The Episcopalian revision will be presented to the general convention in Denver September 18.

EMINENT educators from all parts of the country gathered in Urbana, Ill., Friday, to take part in the formal inauguration of Dr. Harry Woodburn Chase as president of the University of Illinois. State officials, alumni and students went to make up a great throng, and the program lasted all through the day and evening. In the morning the procession formed at the library and marched to the men's gymnasium, escorted by the university's famous military band. President George Barr of the board of trustees presided over the inaugural ceremonies. Governor Emmerson extended greetings on behalf of the state; Samuel Wesley Stratton, chairman of the corporation of Massachusetts Institute of Technology, spoke for the university world; and President Hammett of Illinois college for the schools in the state of Illinois.

There were further festivities in the afternoon, and in the evening President and Mrs. Chase held a reception. Doctor Chase, who was formerly president of the University of North Carolina, has been acting president since last July, when he succeeded Dr. David Kinley. There was a note of sorrow in Friday's celebration, for Dr. E. A. Alderman, president of the University of Virginia, who was to have taken part in the program, passed away on the train on his way to Urbana; and only a few days before word had come of the death of Mrs. Kinley in Shanghai, China.

PRESIDENT HOOVER'S little trip to Cape Henry, Virginia, to take part in the celebration of the 324th anniversary of the landing of the first permanent English colonists was sadly marred by a torrential rainstorm. He and Mrs. Hoover went there on the Department of Commerce boat Sequoia, and just as the ceremonies began the downpour came. All were drenched to the skin and took refuge in the railroad station, where tea was served. The President took his waiting good naturally, and Mrs. Hoover, too, laughed, though her new hat was ruined.



Philip Snowden

GREAT BRITAIN'S landed gentry never did like Philip Snowden much, and their feeling against him was intensified last week when he delivered his budget speech in parliament. The chancellor of the exchequer, weak from illness and a severe operation, stood bravely before the British lawmakers and announced that he intended to put through a plan for the taxation of land values. The present land system, he said, is unjust and a burden to trade and industry, and direct taxation of land values would prove a remedy. He proposed to set up machinery for national valuation, which probably would take two years. When the valuation is completed the tax would be one penny per pound on the capital value.

Laborites and Liberals cheered wildly, but the Conservatives sat glumly silent. The latter will oppose the scheme, and it will be fought in the house of lords, but if the labor party can continue in power it may be put through.

As for the present budget, Mr. Snowden announced only two changes, both temporary devices. The tax on gasoline is raised four cents a gallon to twelve cents, and there are certain alterations in the payments of income taxes. Mr. Snowden will get \$97,200,000 by withdrawal from the exchange stabilization fund that has been on deposit in New York.

SOVIET RUSSIA scored twice during the week. By order of Under Secretary of State Mills a cargo of Russian lumber, brought to Providence, R. I., was admitted to the United States over the protests of domestic producers. Mr. Mills stating that there was no evidence that it had been produced by convict labor. Of greater importance was the signing of a new credit agreement between Russia and Italy which assures large purchases by the Soviets from Italians and the extension of credits by the latter.

EGYPT'S worst railway disaster occurred when the Cairo-Alexandria express caught fire while running at high speed; at least 41 persons lost their lives.

An earthquake in Transcaucasia killed nearly 400 of the inhabitants. Ten men perished when an oil well near Gladewater, Texas, exploded and became ignited.

SILVER has sunk so low in price, the ratio in relation to gold being now about 60 to 1, that many persons think something should be done about it. Four senators are out to discover what this something may be. They are the members of the senate foreign relations subcommittee on commercial relations with China.

The chairman, Rep. Pittman of Nevada, has just started for China, and will be joined there by Arthur Vandenberg of Michigan, who is on a trip to the Philippines. Claude S. Brown of Virginia and Henrik Shipstead of Minnesota will soon sail for Europe.

Pittman and Vandenberg will investigate the possibility of a loan of some of the treasury's surplus silver bullion to the Nationalist government of China for exchange. Shipstead and Shipstead will consult with political and economic leaders of Europe concerning a possible international conference on a plan to suspend the practice of demonetizing silver coins and disposing of them as bullion. Both these ideas were presented to the President in two resolutions by the senate, but Mr. Hoover made no response.

EXTRADITION of ex-King Alfonso may be asked by the Spanish republic when he settles down somewhere; he is accused of grafting. Gen. Damsa Berenguer, dictator of Spain until two weeks ago, is in prison awaiting trial for the part he played in the Morocco military disaster of 1921 and for the execution of two officers after the revolt at Jaca last December.

WEST BETHEL

Gerald Cushing was home from Hiram a few days last week.

Miss Ethel Bennett is at home from the South. She expects to go back to Poland Springs for the summer.

Will Bennett had the misfortune to hurt his hand while at work on the road.

Charles Dodge is driving Clarence Bennett's truck, hauling wood to Berlin from Bethel.

Mrs. Cora Brown is assisting Mrs. G. D. Morrill with her housework during the absence of her daughter, Mrs. Cleve Bell.

Fred Lovejoy was in Berlin one day last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Richard Babb and Mrs. Christie Stiles and son Charles of South Paris were at Joseph Perry's Sunday.

Clarence Rolfe and Madelyn Bell were in Rumford Sunday to see her father, Cleve Bell, who is in the hospital.

Mr. and Mrs. Earl Cummings of Rumford brought Mrs. Cleve Bell home Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Carroll Abbott were Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Morrill.

Mr. and Mrs. Roland Kneeland and family of Saco were week end guests of her mother, Mrs. Estella Goodridge. Winfield Rolfe is at work on the road for O. W. Fernald.

Mr. and Mrs. G. C. Kneeland and son Warren and daughter Marjorie of Salem, Mass., are spending the week with Mr. Kneeland's sister, Mrs. Fred Lovejoy.

Mrs. Laurence Lord entertained the Ladies' Club of Bethel one day last week.

W. C. Bennett and son Sherwin were in Bethel Monday.

Mrs. Celia Gorman of Albany was the guest of her sister, Mrs. George Brown, recently.

Eddie Steady of Berlin was in this village Monday.

Mrs. Paul Head and Miss Sylvia Grover attended the teachers' meeting last Friday afternoon.

The many friends of Mrs. G. D. Morrill who has been quite ill will be glad to learn she is much better and is able to be out.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Scribner and little daughter Bettie spent Monday with Nahum Scribner and Mrs. Cora Brown.

NORTH NORWAY

C. G. French has had steel roofing put on his barn recently.

H. C. Heath is working for J. Merton Wyman, Norway Center, trimming apple trees. Ralph Watson is also working there.

E. T. Jenkins recently sold two fat pigs to G. C. Yates, Northwest Norway.

Mrs. Alice Watson, son Elmer and daughter Geneva, of Norway Center and Mr. and Mrs. H. C. Heath were in Lewiston Thursday, April 30.

Mrs. C. D. Morse has been ill with a severe cold for a few days.

MILLETTVILLE

Mr. and Mrs. Will Young, Mr. and Mrs. Stan Thurston, Mr. and Mrs. Delmore Robinson, Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Buck, Mrs. Jesse Buck, Mrs. S. I. Jackson, and Charles Robinson went from Millettsville to help make up the 48 Norway Grangers who accepted the invitation to South Waterford Grange Saturday night. They were entertained with a minstrel show broadcast by the "Down Easters" after a most sumptuous banquet at seven o'clock.

Charles Robinson is assisting his brother and wife in papering and other changes in their home while enjoying his visit with them.

Mr. and Mrs. White from Maynard, Mass., are busy getting settled in their new home, the old Whitney Buck farm, which they have recently bought. He is a first class electrician but has been ordered into the country for his health.

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Buck, who cared for his mother and sister during their last illnesses, have moved back into their own cozy little place just beyond the home farm.

Sunday callers at Mr. and Frank Abbott's were her son Robley Chase, and Caroline Towle, also Mr. and Mrs. Shirley Chase and Junior.

Mrs. Rust Jackson returned Saturday night from a two weeks visit in Rockland with her daughter and family, Mr. and Mrs. Cleveland Sleeper, Jr., and son "Rusty" who drove her back in their car and stayed over Sunday.

Mrs. Effie Heath is helping Mrs. Isobel Hussey with her spring house cleaning.

Ellsworth Farnum, Jr., had the misfortune to cut his hand quite seriously while splitting wood a few days ago. It required four stitches to close the wound.

Leo Yates, who has been in the U. M. G. Hospital for several weeks, returned home April 26. His hand is doing finely and is nearly healed.

NORTH WOODSTOCK

James Knight cut his foot quite badly last week while working for Walter Russ in the woods.

Joseph Barrett is visiting friends in town.

Miss Annie Tru spent Tuesday night with Alice and Evelyn Knight. Maxine Fuller was at home over the week end from her work at Gorham, N. H.

Mrs. Eva Fuller, Evannah and Lloyd, and Rachel Forbes were at Rumford Thursday afternoon for Evannah to have some dental work done.

Mrs. Ed Thompson has returned home from a visit with her daughter in Brookline, Mass.

Roy Coffren and Sherman Ordway have returned from Aroostook.

Rumford—New addition being built to Stephens High School building.

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Mother Elizabeth Seton, founder of the Sisters of Charity, who will be the first woman of North America to be canonized by the Roman Catholic church, if the petition signed by 100,000 Americans is granted by the pope. Mother Seton, who lived in New York and Maryland, was born near Bowling Green on August 28, 1774. She was a daughter of Dr. Richard Bailey, professor at King's college, now Columbia university, and first became interested in Catholicism while traveling in Italy with her husband, William Magee Seton, a wealthy shipowner. The school which she ultimately founded in Baltimore was the foundation of the parochial system in the United States.

WEST PARIS

The Credit and Loan Association met at flood Will Hall Wednesday evening. Lawyer Linnell of Auburn was the speaker, and a chicken pie supper was served by the ladies of the Good Will Society.

Mr. and Mrs. Albert Bowker of Millsfield, N. H., are guests of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. D. Stillwell.

Rev. Eleanor B. Forbes was hostess to the "Happy Thought Group" on Wednesday afternoon. This group of young matrons have completed their usual missionary work of cutting and making dresses for girls of Rev. Hannah Powell's summer school at Innan's chapel, N. C. The dresses are so ready done as to seem almost a work of art, and certainly the ladies have acquired the art of reliability and helpfulness.

Friday afternoon a business meeting of the Friends' class of the Universalist Sunday school was held at the home of Rev. Eleanor B. Forbes. The secretary and treasurer reported flowers, fruit, letters, and many kindnesses to the aged, sick and shut-ins, and much friendly thought for the unfortunate. There was a large attendance.

The Helping Hand club of the Protestant church met at the chapel for their regular meeting Thursday evening, with the members present. Mothers' Day program was enjoyed in charge of Mrs. Marion Day. During the winter presents have been sent and sold amounting to \$60, and \$50 will be used to send two boys from the Sunday school to Ocean Park Bible School. All mothers of the church will be entertained on May 7. Program and refreshments. A good time will be had Saturday afternoon, May 10. At Master the children were opened and a good sum was realized. As the president, Mrs. Alice Bean, was leaving for the summer, she was presented with a dish from the class. Plans were made for a class picnic in June.

Mrs. Eric Loppin of Portland has been a recent guest of her aunt, Mrs. Clara Ballou.

Mrs. G. A. Smith and Mrs. W. M. King were in Norway Friday. Prof. R. H. Emery of Hobson Academy has been spending the week with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. L. H. Emery. Eight young people from the Y. P. C. U. were conveyed to Dexter to the state convention by Mrs. E. J. Mann. Those who went were Hattie Hollis, Arlita Howe, Geraldine and Maxine Crawford, Gertrude Emery, Gertrude Mann, Clayton Gammon, Ralph Abbott, Mrs. C. E. Stearns and Mrs. Addie Stone attended the Sunshine Club at Mrs. John Pierce's, Paris, Thursday.

Mrs. Thelma of Kennebunkport is visiting her sister, Mrs. Clarence Rodion.

Mr. and Mrs. Stacy Robbins of Brunswick were guests Tuesday of her sister, Mrs. A. L. Abbott, and family. Mr. and Mrs. Robbins have been spending a few days at their camp at Locke Mills.

Mr. and Mrs. Louis McKean of Norway are guests of their son Howard McKean and family.

Mrs. Jarvis Thayer and daughter Frances of Waterville have been recent guests of Mrs. Thayer's sister, Mrs. E. E. Stearns.

SOUTH PARIS

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Bean and Jean were in Portland Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. J. Clifton and children and Mr. and Mrs. Eugene Simmons and children called on their cousin, Floyd Morgan, Sunday.

The children of the sixth grade sang their number, Mrs. H. H. Wigham, a

CHURCH ACTIVITIES

FIRST CONGREGATIONAL CHURCH
L. A. Edwards, Pastor
9:30. Church School. Miss Ida Packard, Superintendent.
10:45. Morning Worship. Mothers' Day. The Pastor's subject will be "Motherhood."

7:30. The comrades will present the religious drama, "The Question." Everybody is cordially invited.

FRIDAY EVENING, MAY 8
The men will serve a Fish Chowder Supper in the dining room of the church. We expect a crowd; but are prepared to take care of them. Oh yes, if you do not care for chowder you may eat pie, or rolls, and drink good coffee. Then listen to an inspiring talk by Prof. White, who is not white. The whole bill will cost you 35 cents. Less than it would cost you to eat at home.

BETHEL M. E. CHURCH

Rev. R. C. Dalzell, Minister
Sunday School at 9:45. Superintendent, Mrs. Bertha Wheeler.
Morning Worship, 10:45. Topic—Mother's Day. All mothers are cordially invited to this service.

Epworth League, 6:30 P. M. Topic—"Checking Up on Progress." Leader, Mabel Herrick.

Evening Service, 7:30.
Tuesday Evening, Mid-week service, May 12, the County Convention of the W. C. T. U. will be held in the M. E. Church. Opening service begins at 10:15.

CHRISTIAN SCIENCE SOCIETY

Chapman Street
Sunday School at 10 o'clock.
Services Sunday morning at 10:45. Subject of the lesson sermon, Adam and Fallen Man.
Wednesday testimonial meeting at 7:30 P. M.

LOCKE MILLS CHURCH

Rev. R. C. Dalzell, Pastor
Sunday School, 1:30 P. M.
Church Services, 2:30.

Maybasket Monday night.
Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Morgan called on Lucy Morgan in Norway Friday evening.

Roy Rogers and family of Falmouth, Forester, Arthur and Graham Keniston of Woodford, Mr. and Mrs. Ossie Gilbert and son David, and Barbara Keniston were callers at George Keniston's Sunday.

Herbert Woodworth and Robert Donelson were at South Arm, fishing, May 1.

Mrs. Arthur Barnell and children, Harry and Grace, and Edith Barnell of West Baldwin called on Laura Barnell Sunday.

Mrs. Flora Pratt entertained the "H. C. L. Club" April 30. A good number were present, refreshments were served and a good time enjoyed. The next meeting will be held at Mrs. Flora Woodworth's, May 7.

Mr. and Mrs. Leslie Hall and family visited a people in West Mirel Sunday.

The W. H. M. society met at Mrs. Charles Edwards' Tuesday afternoon with nine present.

Leah Hall has a new Dodge car.

Born

In Bethel, May 4, to the wife of Ernest Harrington, a son.

In Bethel, May 2, to the wife of M. J. Smith, a daughter.

In South Paris, May 1, to the wife of Herman Barnett of West Paris, a son, Lester Ernest.

In South Paris, April 17, to the wife of George E. Currier, a daughter.

In South Paris, April 17, to the wife of Thomas Johnson, a son, Ervin Raymond.

In Norway, April 23, to the wife of Sam Johnson, a son, Fred Lawwood.

In Norway, April 23, to the wife of Ralph M. Bizer of Westfield, Mass., a son, Quentin Winsfield.

Married

In Bethel, May 2, by Rev. L. A. Edwards, Delmore Swift of Mechanic Falls and Miss Faye Mitchell of Bethel.

Correction—In Augusta, April 10, by Rev. William R. Wood, Robert I. French and Miss Shirley E. Crockett, both of Augusta.

In Oxford, May 2, by Rev. H. H. Colby, Philip Arthur Hunt of Norway and Miss Ada Pearl Grover of Oxford.

Died

In North Lovell, April 23, Erwin E. son of Mr. and Mrs. Freeman McKean, aged 3 years.

In Rumford, April 20, Mrs. George W. Thayer, aged 68 years.

In Norway, April 28, Mrs. Nellie O. wife of John P. Penney, aged 63 years.

In Rumford, April 20, Bridget H. woman, aged 68 years.

In Bethel, April 29, Mrs. Melissa Merrill, aged 80 years.

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Rev. Mr. Brandon has been taking his vacation during the past four weeks. He is now suffering from some rheumatic complication, but it is hoped he will soon be ready for the work again.

During his vacation the work has been carried on by the other two men, with some necessary changes in the schedule of services.

Last Sunday services were resumed in the Church at Hunt's Corner, Albany. A Forum service was held at South Waterford in the evening. The evening service at North Lovell was omitted, or united with that at East Stoneham where the Communion was celebrated and three new members received. These are in addition to the five who were received at Easter.

The Communion was celebrated also at Waterford, North Waterford and Center Lovell during the day.

The United Parish Council is to hold its bi-monthly meeting at Waterford on Thursday of this week. This will be an all-day meeting with a dinner to be served in the Wilkins Community House. An interesting speaker is expected for the afternoon session.

Next Sunday, being Mother's Day, and also Rural Life Sunday, will be observed not only by the usual Sunday services during the day, but also by an All-the-Parish service in the Grange Hall at North Lovell. It is hoped to have as a speaker Mr. W. J. Thompson of South China, Maine, a well-known ex-State Grange Master. All the Granges in the Parish are invited to be present. If Mr. Thompson cannot be present, some other prominent Grange speaker will be secured.

On Friday evening of this week a Circle Supper will be served at North Lovell; and at East Stoneham there will be given the drama, "Our Church Fair."

The work of the United Parish is hard on staff auto. Two members of the staff exchanged old Ford's for new last week.

Rev. B. F. Wentworth, formerly of the staff of this Parish, has returned to Maine, being appointed by the recent Maine M. E. Conference of the field of West Baldwin and Hiram. Already rumors are heard of a new "Larger Parish" to be organized in that vicinity.

Maine Industrial Review

Bonithay Harbor—Vernon H. Spurr received contract to construct road between road to Sprucewood and Bay Street.

Rumford—Mount Zion Spring Water Company moved to factory building on South Rumford road.

Portland—New investment banking firm of Kimball, Ware & Company opened for business in Fidelity building.

Rumford—Pine Grove Tea Room, old road, opened for business by Mrs. Goff.

Brunswick—Extensive repairs being made to interior of Fortin Block, corner of Main and Mill streets.

Brunswick—Bids opened for construction of South Maine Street drainage system.

Rumford—Louis Cohen constructing garage on two and one-half lots between former headquarters of Rumford Bottling Company and E. B. Carroll plumbing shop.

Portland—Burnham & Morrill Company's plant started canning operations.

Sanford—Fidelity Trust Company of Portland purchased assets and assumed liabilities of Sanford National Bank.

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LOCKE MILLS

Mrs. Cora Bennett has returned home from the C. M. G. Hospital.

A large crowd attended the May Ball at the Pavilion Saturday evening. Miss Gladys Salls and Norman Ford motored to Lewiston Sunday.

Charlie Day has returned to his work at Sumner.

Mr. and Mrs. Lamont Cole are home from their winter trip to Florida.

Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Morgan and son Gilbert of South Paris called at Jason Bennett's Monday evening.

Mrs. Lewis Cole and two sons spent Tuesday with her aunt, Mrs. Roy Blake, at Bethel.

The merry maybasket time has arrived and the children here are not missing their share in the sport.

Ray Hanson, Mrs. Robert Cole, and Miss Eunice Salls attended the Grange meeting at Bryant Pond Saturday evening.

Lewis Cole was in South Paris Tuesday evening.

Misses Gladys and Maude Salls attended the teachers' meeting at Greenwood City Saturday.

Friends, relatives and neighbors of Sylvie Lapham are very glad to hear that she won the valedictory at Woodstock High School this year.

Miss Ruby Day was the guest of Miss Evelyn Howe, at Bryant Pond recently.

NORTH NEWRY

Miss Ruth Brinck, a student at Edward Little High School, was at home for the Sugar Eat and Dance at Newry Corner Friday night.

Mrs. A. C. Littlehale of Errol, N. H., was a guest this week of her daughter, Mrs. F. W. Wight. She attended Pomona Grange at Newry Tuesday, returning home in the evening.

David Emman was a Sunday visitor at Hartley Hanson's.

Miss Helen Richardson and Miss Ruth Brinck, who spent their spring vacation in North Newry, were entertained Saturday night by some of the younger set at the home of Miss Richardson's aunt and uncle, Mr. and Mrs. John B. Vail. Ice cream and cake were served. They listened to the radio and had a good time in general.

Miss Richardson will graduate from E. L. H. S. in June as an honor student and will enter Farmington Normal in September.

George Wight and Herbert Morton, Jr., entertained some of their schoolmates over the week end.

Donald Bean and family of Paris were at their camp here over Saturday.

II. H. Hanson has been drawn to serve on the traverse jury.

Don't forget that Saturday night the pupils of the schools in town will compete in a program of public speaking at the regular meeting of Bear River Grange. Parents, teachers, and friends are cordially invited.

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Programs Now On

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April 30—Dixfield
May 6—Brown